

### Annual "POPS" Concert Set For Nov. 10

The free Annual "POPS" Concert of the Torrance Adult Orchestra will be held on Friday night, November 10, at 8 o'clock at the Torrance Civic Auditorium.

By far the most ambitious attempt of this expanding group, the concert will include dancers, singers, duets, community singing, social dancing, and according to Maestro Abe Milstein, "pretty girls."

Joanne Koch, 18-year-old co-ed of Harbor Junior College, will sing with popular baritone Lloyd Jones, selections from "New Moon," "Show Boat," "Oklahoma," "South Pacific." Frank and Francis will engage in a new spectacular dance routine, and periods of social dancing, open to the public, will lend an air of sociability and festivity.

Other numbers of the program include "Night and Day," "Esperanza Waltz," "Zieguna," "Dancing in the Dark," and "Embraceable You."

Joanne Koch, a Messo Soprano, has been studying music with Rolla Alford, Long Beach Methodist Choir Director.

Lloyd Jones is presently engaged as teacher at the Fern Avenue Elementary School, has sung professionally for many years, and is well known for his performance at the Torrance Annual Chamber of Commerce Dinner.

Frank and Francis have been sponsored by the Three Arts Studio and are well known in South Bay Circles.

### Instructors Employed by School Board

At its October 17 meeting, the Torrance school board approved that Warren Wilson Hamilton be employed as instructor in the continuation school, retroactive to September 23, 1950, as needed. Salary rate is to be in accordance with the adult education salary scale adopted by the board of education on June 6, 1950.

Also approved by the board was the employment of David D. Irwin for on call substitute teaching as needed.

### Commission

(Continued from Page One) "but it seems that the men who are responsible for our being in the official positions we now hold do not, trust the very men they have named to commissions and boards."

Councilmen Nick Draie and George Powell opposed adoption of the ordinance, and a test of its constitutionality is contemplated to determine its effectiveness.

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Nothing had been accomplished, he alleged.

### Attend Confab

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The meeting was opened by an Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance by the R.O.T.C. Color Guard Unit of San Francisco School District, after which a very warm welcome was given by the Hon. Mayor Elmer E. Robinson of San Francisco.

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### Pat Brown

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San Francisco, which is the second largest county in the State in population. He has been elected and re-elected for many terms and was Deputy District Attorney before taking office as District Attorney.

### WELL QUALIFIED

"Pat" Brown is well qualified for the office of Attorney General for California, as in his more than 20 years of service as Deputy District Attorney and District Attorney for San Francisco, he has been doing the very same type of job that is expected of the Attorney General in Sacramento; the prosecution of those violating the law," expressed Councilman Draie.

Draie also said that the attorney General is legal adviser for all state officials, as well as adviser to local District Attorneys, a job for which Brown is well fitted.

### City Working

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prevented Mayor's group from getting access to its bluff land below the parkway, and to permit development of the 400-acre tract on the Torrance-Palos Verdes boundary without sidewalks.

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### Old Fashioned

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ed. "Outstanding values are set aside annually during this annual Old Fashioned Dollar Day event to give the public a chance to save money on the newest fall and winter merchandise."

This event, for the convenience of shoppers, has been held the last week of October each year for many past years, said Diamond.

### Cottage for

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uses they made to nearby property owners to make the maintenance station an asset rather than the detriment it is, at present, to the community.

In the meantime, many new homes have sprung up in that vicinity, bringing more importance to the property value of the area, which the present condition of the maintenance station does not enhance.

### CITIZENS COMPLAIN

Complaints made by property owners who live near the maintenance station are as follows:

Mrs. Alfred Lopez, 18120 Bailey Drive, Torrance: "They promised to landscape it. Otherwise we definitely objected to having a maintenance station here. Besides promising to landscape the station, they also promised that it wouldn't be a nuisance, but they come at odd hours late at night and early in the morning and honk horns and make all sorts of noise." Mrs. F. A. Wells, 18100 Bailey Drive: "Sometimes they come real early in the morning and honk horns and flash lights. It's very easy to get plants to grow here, but all they did in the way of landscaping was to plant a couple of dried up old rose bushes which they never even water."

### Helicopter

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The proposal of the Los Angeles Airways to inaugurate helicopter passenger service is the first such application received by the CAB.

Los Angeles Airways' application also seeks authorization to continue its temporary certificate to carry mail for he post office.

The temporary certificate expired last month but continues in force until the CAB completes action on the application for extension of service.

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### Pin Ball Ordinance

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the games permanently. They said that the games return now would have a decided ill effect on the morals of the community.

Members of the groups said that they will press for the arrest of any operator of a marble game in this area, and that watchful eyes of many opponents will be on the machines to bring the arrest of persons found gambling on the games if they return.

Even as the anti-marble game ordinance was found to be ineffective as to DeFour's case, there was considerable difference of opinion as to its status in view of the intention of the City Council to ban the games.

**DIFFERENCES**

City Attorney Smith said that the ordinance is sufficient to do the job, but Judge Willett said it is "too broad." William McFadden, attorney for DeFour in the "test case," said that the City Council can pass an effective ordinance banning the marble games, but that he would not speak for anyone except DeFour, when it comes to future plans of operators. (One of DeFour's marble machines was seized by police after it was found operating in Torrance following the effective date of the ordinance banning the games.)

Several questions were asked of Judge Willett and City Attorney Smith about the effect of the ruling by the judge. The questions, put by a Press reporter, and the answers, follow:

**OPINIONS**

1. Does the decision sustaining the demurrer of the attorney for DeFour have the effect of throwing out the case against DeFour only, or can this decision invalidate the whole ordinance?

Judge Willett said: "The decision is against DeFour only. If other cases are brought to the court, I will take the same stand on those matters."

City Attorney Smith answered: "The decision invalidates the ordinance in the City Court."

2. If the machines should be returned, could not police make other arrests under the same ordinance?

Judge Willett answered: "That depends upon the Police department."

City Attorney Smith said: "No."

3. Is there a licensing ordinance regulating these machines in case they are returned to local places of business and placed in operation?

Judge Willett: "I do believe they were licensed."

City Attorney Smith: "Yes. When the ordinance was passed, the license ordinance was invalidated, but after this decision, it is restored."

4. Can the machines be licensed when there is an ordinance on the books forbidding

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